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Large Majorities For Mayor and Councillors

The election for Mayor and Councillors held on Tuesday created very little excitement in town, tho' apparently the electors' interest had been awakened sufficiently to cause 78 per cent to cast their votes.

The results of the poll were as follows:

For Mayor	
H. O. Bredin	71
R. H. Struthers	15
For Councillors	
W. S. Playfair	78
M. H. Milroy	73
J. W. Taperline	15

In all eight-seven ballots were cast 65 of which were spoiled.

As a result of the election the council is strengthened considerably and will undoubtedly have the confidence of the ratepayers and townspeople generally.

Red Cross Society Is Receiving Better Support

Red Cross activities are becoming increasingly fashionable and successful as the need and worthiness of the work is better appreciated.

In Bassano the response which greets every new effort of the local branch grows more and more liberal and gratifying to the executive.

Last week the Dance given by the ladies of the society netted \$104.50 to the fund; for which result the committee desire to thank Messrs. Hampson and Hinton who supplied the music without charge, and also the ladies who donated the necessaries for the refreshments.

The Drive for members, which started so successfully last week has been continued, but only spasmodically, through the present week and the number of life members now on the list is 68.

The objective of the canvassing committee is 100 and there does not appear to be any reason why that mark should not be passed with ease.

We hope to publish the complete list next week and we anticipate that practically every person in town who is able, will have subscribed his name to the list by that time.

In order to clear up any doubt which may exist as to the status of life members, the president has received from Calgary the information that Life Members have precisely the same privileges as active members.

Don't wait to be asked to join, send your name in to the committee or the secretary Mrs. Murdoch, and then join your utmost to secure another member.

There is room for all, and need for more than all. If you fail to do your share you are not only failing in your duty but you are failing those who look to you for those necessities which the Red Cross supply.

Successful Sale.

On Wednesday last The Women's Guild, of the Anglican Church, held a sale of work and afternoon tea which was well patronized, and their sale proved to be a great success, the cash that was taken for tea and sale of work, amounting to \$107.08. After taking out expenses it was found they had cleared \$102. The members of The Guild wish to thank Mr. Pierce for the use of his store, and Mr. Malloy for moving chairs and tables.

BASEBALL

Bassano vs. Gleichen, played first game of half, in recent weather Sunday, when Bassano took Gleichen into camp to tune of 19 to 6. The game started out fast with Gleichen scoring one run, in first inning, and striking out first 8-7. Bassano boys to bat. Bassano scored one in 2nd, when Fortier hit safe, stole 2nd and 3rd and scored on McCaughy's single. Gleichen got another run in 3rd, and Bassano scored another in 4th when Sommer hit safe, 3 scored on Fortier's 2 batters. In their half of 5th inning, Bassano batted J. McArthur all over the lot, and when heads had been counted, 8 runs had crossed the plate. In first of 7th, N. Payne for Gleichen opened with 2 batters, but was out stealing 3rd. 2. McArthur hit safe, as did Wilson and Lefty scored on Bob McArthur's 2 base drive. In last of 7th Gleichen put Bob McArthur in box and our boys lambasted him for 5 runs in one inning. Babe McArthur took the slab in 8th inning, but all the boys were in their batting clothes, and hit him for 4 runs in one inning--Bassano's last time to bat.

Gleichen scored one each in 8th and 9th inning, but Bill Graham was going strong, and Gleichen could not hit him safe. He struck out 9 men to 3 strikeouts for Gleichen pitchers. Fortier was there with the "big stick" as usual, and had 6 hits out of 6 times up--1 3 batters, and 2 2 batters in the seventh. Orlin Kirk and Sommer each hit for 2 bases, while Sommer demonstrated he was a good thief by stealing 5 bases. All the boys played "bang-up" ball, and made Gleichen look like they did, when they played Vulcan.

A large crowd was out, and showed their appreciation of the good work done by all the boys, by "rooting" their heads off.

LADIES' ALTAR SOCIETY'S SALE

The Ladies Altar Society, of The Catholic Church, are having a sale of home-cooking and afternoon tea, on Saturday afternoon at O. M. Pierce's store.

Sports' Day At Pandora Great Success.

The Berry Creek Agricultural Society were favored by ideal weather for their sports' day, last Monday and a huge crowd assembled at the grounds to take part in and witness the events.

It is roughly estimated that from 2500 to 3000 people were present during the day, and the majority of them, at any rate, were well pleased with the programme which was presented.

It was regrettable that Mr. R. B. Bennett, by a sudden attack of sickness, was prevented from addressing the crowd on behalf of the Red Cross Society, but Mrs. Wagman the organizer for the province delivered an excellent address explaining the objects and need of the work of the society, and was instrumental in organizing branches in different parts of the district.

A full account of the sports will appear in next week's issue.

The result of the baseball tournament was a victory for Gem, and incidentally a source of revenue for several of our local sports one of whom generously donated \$5.00 to the Red Cross on the following day.

All reports of the proceedings are highly congratulatory to those who had the arrangements in hand.

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NOTICE is hereby given that Messrs. FURLATT and FORTNER of Bassano in the Province of Alberta, intend to apply for a license to operate a pool room at second avenue. The application has been approved by Ernest L. Spavitt, FURLATT & FORTNER, Applicants.

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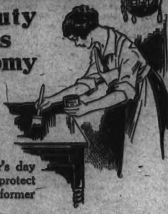
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On the Red Deer.

The Bassano Mail.

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A practical joker on the Hanna Board of Trade has recently prepared and posted signs giving the approximate mileage to Bassano and Hanna from points over the Red Deer.

Had the signs been truthful, they would have been used by the occasional traveller whose melancholy fate it is to travel to Hanna, but their utility would have ceased from there, for no farmer in the district, who possesses the average intelligence would dream of taking the pilgrimage to Hanna while he is able to make the trip to Bassano.

The point is however the signs are not misleading for every farmer in the district is better acquainted with the respective mileage to Bassano and Hanna than the members of the Hanna Board of Trade. We should not be surprised if some wag does not style the above organization and the signs they have prepared as the "Hanna Boards of Lies."

We would earnestly advise our readers to study two of the notices appearing in this issue, one with reference to Registration and the other ordering men to carry documentary evidence of age and status if single, and subject to military service under class I, and marriage certificates, if married.

Had this last notice appeared in last week's issue a certain gentleman whom we may describe as the *Probochus Vulgaris* would not have been so "unlucky" complacent as a result of his importunities.

QUEENSTOWN & MAJORVILLE

James Oler, the popular young man who enlisted in the early part of the war and returned from France wounded, and also brought back his nurse as his wife. A purse of \$100.00 was raised at the dance and turned over to the young couple as a help to start housekeeping.

It is reported that a couple of our young men had a fight concerning a widow, who is not yet a widow.

Several good showers have fallen in the district during the last couple of weeks and the grain looks much better. Andrew Oler has married a young lady from the State of Washington his former home and is building a Villa on his half section out on the river.

O. H. O'Toole has sold his ranch to Mr. Dowle and is moving on to a half section formerly belonging to Geo. Green. Mr. O'Toole now intends to be a farmer pure and simple.

In spite of the dry month of May a lot of breaking is being done.

Miss Monroe is building the sweetest home in the district.

The new Farmers' Hall will be lighted with the DeLoe Light System on the opening night.



WAKE UP BASSANO!

We have 400 young trees comprising Willow, Maple, Cottonwood, Ash, Poplar, Right here at your door. They will be sold cheap.

Apply - H. W. Ford

A Big Attraction.

One hundred and ten thousand visitors took a holiday last year at the Calgary Exhibition, and the number will increase this year. The event will be held at Calgary, June 25th to July 6th. After such a hard man's work in the intervals of production, there never was a time when a holiday was more deserved or more desirable to Western Canadian residents.

The Calgary Industrial Exhibition provides the best kind of recreation because it combines the most enjoyable entertainment with the inspiration and instruction of seeing the nation's best live stock and industrial products, added to the many pleasant surprises of meeting friends thought to be hundreds of miles away.

So pack all your troubles and come along. After you have seen the grand exhibits and had a good time, you will go back ready for work. You will never find where you left those troubles.

There are reduced passenger rates from Alberta points, and the Exhibition opens at the O.R. station in Calgary a five hours for securing accommodation if you do not wish to stay at a hotel.

Girls and boys! Day, Saturday, June 26th, will be a grand exhibition in itself. They will compete for \$300 in prizes, and it will be the young people's greatest day. The girls and boys' live stock parade and presentation of prizes in the evening will be worth going miles to see. Close and encourage them.

Saturday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday will be the judging days for the grand display of live stock over seen in Western Canada.

If you have seen the exhibits you will be entertained by the best artists in the world. There will also be horse races the first two days and auto races by the fastest drivers on July 4th and 5th. Then a stroll down Fountains Alley to see the best shows ever on the Calgary Exhibition grounds, and the last of your worries will have vanished.

Arrangements have been made for parking and checking automobiles on the Exhibition grounds.

Exhibition entries close on June 13th, and prize lists may be obtained by writing E. L. Richardson, Manager, Calgary Industrial Exhibition, Calgary, Alta.

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Canada's Registration

Its Purpose and Application

CANADA faces the gravest crisis in her history. Four years of war have taken from the Dominion a heavy toll in talent and labor, yet despite the shortage of man and power, our Allies still depend on Canada to maintain her own fighting forces at full strength and to increase her exports of food and war materials, so vital to them, and to the successful prosecution of this war.

Every ounce by which Canada can increase her food production and every ounce Canada can save in her food consumption is needed for export to the Allies.

Should the war continue for another year, food cards and a rationing system may have to be instituted. It is the duty of Canada to be prepared for whatever situation circumstances may force upon her.

It is quite probable that before the war is won our Government may have to place restrictions upon the occupations in which men and women may engage. In such an event the Government wishes to be in a position to render all possible assistance in keeping our population usefully and profitably employed.

Registration Day, June 22nd

These conditions point to the necessity of Canada making the exact capabilities of her men and women known.

All persons residing in Canada, male or female, British or alien of 16 years and over, will be required to register on June 22nd and truthfully answer the questions on forms upon the registration card.

It is not the Government's intention to conscript labour in any form, but (in order to direct it wisely, so that every available unit of human energy may be utilized to the best advantage).

The information procured through registration will be used—as an aid to the Military Authorities in procuring the men necessary to maintain "Canada's" role as a "Line of Defense"—to mobilize all units of available labour in the Dominion and direct them from less essential to more essential occupations; and to intelligently administer a system of food rationing should that become necessary.

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QUEENSTOWN AND MAJORVILLE

The new Farmers' Hall which is being built at a cost of nearly \$8000 is almost complete.

The grand opening has been set for Friday June 1st. The meeting will start 8 o'clock in the afternoon and a number of Speakers have been engaged from Calgary. Supper will be served from 9 to 10 and a good band will furnish their attractions will entertain the crowd during the night.

The Bassano business men and residents outside our district are cordially invited through the "Mail".

On July 12th the annual picnic will take place on the Bow River near the new bridge, opposite Cluny.

Quite a number of young men through the district have been conscripted. A number of dances has been given lately in the different schoolhouses, some for the men going away and some for returned soldiers.

Last week dances were held as follows. At Liberty School in honor of Ben Francis, in Corby Hill School in honor of Jack Dietz. The Pioneer Ladies Institute gave a welcome back dance for continued on next page

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Round-up of Stray Horses SOUTH OF THE BOW RIVER.

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No.	Sex	Age	Color and Marking	Brand
1	Mare	4	Buckskin pony	O 4 l. th., hanging E. r. hip
2	Geld.	4	C. r. pony	20 r. sh., WH r. sh. (blotched) S r. th.
3	Mare	4	Bay, hind feet white	Spur, round top T r. th., Ducks head on left shoulder
4	Mare	3	Bay, 4 white feet, star	Spur, round top T r. th., Ducks head on
5	Geld.	3	Bay, hind feet white, star	Ducks head on left shoulder
6	Geld.	4	Bay, black points	GF l. sh., EA r. sh.
7	Geld.	7	Bay, right hind foot, white star in face	GF l. sh., crowfoot l. sh., B l. thigh
8	Mare	4	Appaloose	27 l. thigh
9	Mare	4	Bay, right hind foot white, strip in face	Lazy spur l. thigh
10	Mare	4	Bay, hind feet white, ftrip	2 l. sh.
11	Mare	3	Grey, 3 white feet, star	20 l. sh.
12	Geld.	2	Brown, 4 white feet, strip	3 R l. sh.
13	Geld.	2	Bay, hind feet white, star and snip	GF l. sh.
14	Mare	4	Bay, strip	No brand visible
15	Geld.	5	Bay, left hind foot white, star	Crowfoot HC l. sh., Crowfoot CH l. thigh
16		1	Bay, star	Lazy Spur l. thigh
17	Mare	old	Buckskin, pinto pony, left hind foot white, colt at foot	Crowfoot D l. sh.
18	Mare	5	Buckskin pony	< 2 l. shoulder
19	Geld.	6	Sorrell, hind feet white, strip	23 l. sh.
20	Geld.	10	Bay, star r hind foot white	DH l. thigh, 6 compass l. sh.
21	Geld.	4	Brown, right hind foot white, strip	Triangle S l. thigh
22	Mare	7	Blk strip in face, colt at foot	Double Triangle S l. thigh
23	Mare	3	Blk strip	Triangle S l. thigh
24	Mare	2	Brown, (mouse) 3 white feet, Grey	Lazy Spur l. thigh
25	Geld.	3	Grey	Reversed P M l. sh.
26	Geld.	aged	Pinto pony	C r. thigh, Crowfoot l. thigh
27	Mare	aged	Roan pony	2 r. thigh
28	Geld.	9	Bay, hind feet white	G r. th., 27 r. th.
29	Geld.	6	Blk snail star	Triangle S l. th., 5 l. sh.
30	Mare	3	Grey	DC r. thigh, (indistinct)
31	Mare	old	Blk pony r. hind foot white, strip in face	Crowfoot l. sh.
32	Geld.	5	Grey	Triangle S l. th.
33	Mare	8	Roan pony, 4 white feet, white face	6C r. sh., 21 r. sh., 21 r. sh., 21 r. sh.
34	Mare	8	Sorrell	6C r. th.
35	Geld.	old	Brown, star	No brand visible
36	Mare	old	Roan pony, strip in face, colt at foot	U l. sh., indistinct FB l. th. T r. th.
37	Mare	2	Blk. r. hind foot white	2 l. thigh
38	Geld.	4	Grey, pale	Lazy spur l. thigh
39	Mare	5	Cream	reversed L compass r. thigh
40	Geld.	4	Bay, 3 white feet, strip	Boxed R sh.
41	Geld.	5	Iron Grey, pinto, 4 white feet, strip	L K l. thigh
42	Geld.	8	Bay, strip in face	WU l. sh.
43	Mare	4	Brown, 3 white feet, strip	QX r. th., Blotch on l. sh.
44	Mare	2	Brown, hind feet white, star	Z4 r. sh.
45	Geld.	2	Brown, 4 white feet, strip	Z4 r. sh.
46	Geld.	old	Bay, wire cut on left front leg	GR l. sh.
47	Geld.	old	Bay	O4 r. sh.
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Local and Personal.

Miss Kenley is spending her vacation with her parents at Westdale, near Osh.

Miss Blake of Boston, Mass., is visiting with Miss Dorothy Bolton for a few days.

Services will be held in the Anglican Church on Sunday next at 7:30 p.m.

A large number of citizens made the trip to Pandora for the Sports Day on June 8rd.

Red Cross Barn Dance will be held in Pandora's new barn at Homer on Saturday night June 24th. Large crowd expected from Bassano.

One of the incidents at the Ball game last Sunday was a lesson in English administered by Frenchie to a gentle roofer from Gleichen.

Rev. A. C. Swainson and R. H. Struther's, Bassano's lay delegate, are attending the Anglican Synod at Calgary this week.

Married—Al Bassano on June 8rd, Arthur William Frost to Florence Deson, Smalbones by Rev. T. S. Paton.

J. E. Breddburg of Pandora, was one man we were tickled to draw to see in town last Saturday. There are others.

There will be Sunday School and Bible Class at 10:30 a.m. and service at 7:30 p.m. every Sunday at the Presbyterian Church.

The Ladies Altar Society, of The Catholic Church, are having a sale of home cooking and afternoon tea on Saturday afternoon at G. M. Pierce's store.

Married—on June 1st, Fred Edward Roswell to Annie Allison McLeod by Rev. W. S. Brookes, assisted by Rev. T. S. Paton.

Mrs. R. P. Findlay left on Sunday for the east, where she will spend the summer months. Mr. Findlay accompanied her as far as Medicine Hat.

When Bassano's list of Red Cross members is written, we hope to see a hundred per cent representation. That means YOUR name must be there.

The Junior Red Cross held a picnic at the river on King's birthday, under the able guardianship of the President, Mrs. Morden, and other ladies of the senior branch.

Sunday School and Bible Class at 2:30 p.m. and service at 3:30 p.m. in the Lathum Schoolhouse on Sunday next. Rev. T. S. Paton Minister.

As a result of the Minstrels' visit to Gem last week the local Y.M.C.A. fund benefitted to the extent of \$28.85 and the Gem Red Cross by a like amount.

W. F. Stevens, live stock commissioner, was in town on Monday in connection with the round-up of stray horses, a couple list of which appears in this issue.

The Ladies Altar Society, of The Catholic Church, are having a sale of home-cooking and afternoon tea on Saturday afternoon at G. M. Pierce's store.

Those motorists who imagine that the roads in town are speedways should be sent to Ponoka or some other place for sprints, or else we shall soon be following a procession to the cemetery.

The basement and flooring of the old Paddock Hardware store has been repaired and the premises which are now occupied by the Bassano Hardware will soon present an improved appearance.

The Minister of Finance suggests that the interest on Victory Bonds be reinvested in War Saving Certificates. And we were about to suggest that our subscribers use the interest on one of any rate for paying up their subscription to The Mail.

Mrs. Gray received word from her husband recently that his operation has been entirely successful, and that he has great hopes of regaining the perfect use of his limbs in a short while. Our readers, we are sure, will heartily endorse Ben's sentiments.

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Gem Red Cross

Did you ever hear of the Gem Red Cross? They must eat things now by the gross. And they're working hard with head and To help our boys in a distant land. Hand that then, you should have been here to see. We are all looking for the most. (first) For the ladies couldn't all agree. Because the way to success they couldn't

But two or three in the collar plunged. And they rushed out pulled and tugged. And then a few more stepped in line. Of course not all at the very same time. But there was one thing that they had to do. And that was big dinners all served hot. Some ate so much that they couldn't

And then of course they had to drink. The virtuous now are in number three. And they're as cold as they can be. Save for the coffee which is hot. For it's brought steaming from the pot.

The president is Mrs. King. Her job is to see about the thing. But they all try hard to do their best. And never grumble at the rest.

But two or three have not stepped in yet. Wonder how they do their bit. But never mind, they'll step in time. And then the thing will go on fine.

They'll put the halber in the dump. And give him such an awful thump! He'll never try the same again. And cause such misery, grief and pain.

JUNE ULLET,
Gem, Alta.

Wallace Flanagan motored out to Hutton on Sunday, and reports that the crops in that district are looking better than he has ever seen them before at this time of the year.

The treasurer of the Red Cross Society here to acknowledge the sum of \$13.25 received from J. W. Reynolds as the proceeds of a collection taken up at a Barn raising dance held at his farm at Crowfoot last week.

Several of our benighted and one choice specimen of Bascheiderdon, were the victims of a misadventure recently returning from Gleichen last night, which detained them for five hours. However, a very pleasant time was had, and the misadventure was sympathizing with the fortunate to-day.

Geo. D. B. Bond who has been on the sick list for some time past, underwent a minor-operation at Calgary last week, which it is hoped, will restore him to his usual good health.

The Bassano Minstrels at the request of the Gem Red Cross Society gave a performance of their songs at the Colony on Thursday last. The audiences were very appreciative and, apparently, spent an enjoyable evening. The boys were delighted with their reception and are sighing for more audiences to conquer.

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by every male person who is not on active service in any of His Majesty's Naval or Military Forces, or in the Naval or Military Forces of any of His Majesty's Allies, and who apparently may be, or is reasonably suspected to be, within the description of **Class One** under the Military Service Act, 1917, who for any reason may have claimed that he is not within **Class One** under the Act.

NOTICE is hereby given that, under the provisions of an Order in Council (P.C. 1013), of the 20th April, 1918, upon and after the 1st day of June, 1918, every male person who is not on active service in any of His Majesty's Naval or Military Forces, or in the Naval or Military Forces of His Majesty's Allies, and who apparently may be, or is reasonably suspected to be, within the description of Class One under the Military Service Act, 1917, by whom or on whose behalf, it is at any time affirmed, claimed or alleged that he is not, whether by reason of age, status, nationality, exception, or otherwise, within Class One under the Military Service Act, 1917, as defined for the time being or that, although within the said Class, he is exempted from or not liable to military service; shall have with him upon his person at all times or in or upon any building or premises where he at any time is,

AGE

If it be claimed that he is not within the class by reason of age, an official certificate of the date of his birth, or a certificate of his age signed by two reputable citizens residing in the community in which he lives and having knowledge of the fact; or

MARRIAGE

If it be claimed that he is not within the Class by reason of marriage, a certificate, either official or signed by two reputable citizens residing in the community in which he lives and having knowledge of the facts, certifying to his marriage and that his wife is living; or

NATIONALITY

If it be claimed that he is not within the Class by reason of his nationality, a certificate of his nationality signed by a Consul or Vice-Consul of the foreign State or Country to which he claims his allegiance is due; or a passport issued by the Government of that Country establishing his nationality; or

ACTIVE SERVICE

If it be claimed that he is excepted as a member of any of His Majesty's Forces or as having since the 4th August, 1914, served in the Military or Naval Forces of Great Britain or her Allies in any theatre of actual war and has been honourably discharged therefrom, official documents or an official certificate evidencing the fact; or

CLERGY

If it be claimed that he is excepted as a member of the clergy, or of any recognised order of an exclusively religious character, or is a minister of a religious denomination existing in Canada on 29th August, 1917, or as being a

member of any other society or body, a certificate of the fact signed by an office-holder competent so to certify under the regulations of the church, order or denomination, society or body, to which he belongs; or

EXEMPTION

If it be claimed that he is exempted from or not liable to military service by reason of any exemption granted or claimed or application pending under the Military Service Act, 1917, or the regulations thereunder, his exemption papers, or a certificate of the Registrar or Deputy Registrar of the district to which he belongs evidencing the fact; or

OTHER CLASS

If it be claimed that he is not within the Class, or that he is exempted, not liable or excepted upon any other ground, a certificate of two reputable citizens residing in the community where he lives having knowledge of the fact upon which the claim is founded and certifying thereto;

FAILURE TO CARRY REQUISITE EVIDENCE

If upon or after the 1st day of June, 1918, any such male person be found without the requisite evidence or certificate upon his person or in or upon the building or premises in which he is, he shall thereupon be presumed to be a person at the time liable for military service and to be a deserter or defaulter without leave;

PENALTY

And he shall also be liable upon summary conviction to a fine not exceeding \$50 or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding one month, or to both such fine and imprisonment; and moreover, any such person may forthwith be taken into military custody and may be there detained and required to perform military duty in the Canadian Expeditionary Force so long as his services shall be required, unless or until the fact be established to the satisfaction of competent authority that he is not liable for military duty.

FALSE CERTIFICATE

The use, signing or giving of any such certificate as hereinbefore mentioned shall, if the certificate be in any material respect false or misleading to the knowledge of the person using, signing, or giving the same, be an offence, punishable, upon summary conviction, by a penalty not exceeding five hundred dollars, and by imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months and not less than one month.

ISSUED BY THE MILITARY SERVICE BRANCH
OF THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.

Ottawa, May 22, 1918.